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### Boys and Girls:

This week we are going to hold a Special First Aid Week for you. We are going to accept enrollments for Bauer & Black's Junior First Aid Legion.

Every boy or girl who did not avail themselves of the opportunity to enroll last year may do so this week at our store.

The membership fee is the same as last year—12¢. Each member will receive a handsome First Aid Kit, a membership button and a complete First Aid Book.

And to top it all off—Bauer & Black will distribute \$10,000.00 in scholarships and cash awards at the close of the year to those boys and girls who merit them.

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### CRAWFORD AVALANCHE

O. P. SCHUMANN, Editor.  
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Outside of Crawford County and  
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THURSDAY, APRIL 29TH, 1926.

THIS CONGRESS deserves well of the people of the country. It has not been letter-perfect, for after all to err is human. It has talked a lot and it has done some stupid things. It deserves credit, however, for having reduced the taxes of the people, curtailed government expenditures, given serious thought to budget bills which provide for public improvements on the grounds of necessity and not of cause of log-rolling schemes, and it has rather curbed the investigating fever which in the past has seriously delayed constructive work which the people of the country were demanding. Congressmen and senators returning home for re-election need have no fear of a reaction from their recitation of how Congress has met the responsibility of its stewardship.

It's a good thing the candidates don't have to commence kissing the babies until the flu season is about over.

### LOWER TAXES

It will be several years before taxes will be reduced to a point where they will be a relief to the average taxpayer. In the era of extravagance that followed close upon the heels of the World War we indulged in a period of reckless public expenditures beyond our ability to pay for many years to come. Congress has set a splendid example by reducing taxes and practicing strict economy that we should follow. This does not mean that necessary public improvements should be abandoned, but it does mean that the silly waste of the taxpayer's money for political projects should be done away with. The best example of economy in government can be set right at home in local affairs, where we all can take an active part.

Statistics reveal there is a car for every five people in this country, but to the average pedestrian it seems that the ratio should be reversed.

### OUR FOREST FIRE LOSS

To cut Michigan's annual forest fire loss is a part of the program that is being taken up this year by the Michigan Press Association, whose membership is represented by the weekly newspapers of the state. For years the ravages of the fire fiend over the cut-over lands and through growing timber tracts has been enormous, and it is proposed that through a systematic campaign of education this great economic loss be materially reduced this year. Careless smokers and negligent campers have come in for a good part of the blame for starting forest fires, but there are many other causes that deserve attention and it is believed that by keeping everybody constantly on guard a great deal of good may be accomplished. Heretofore, we have depended upon legislation to prevent much of our fire loss, but this has proved inadequate. No matter how drastic are the penalties we attach for setting forest fires they will continue until the average citizen has been educated to do his personal best to eliminate this great drain upon our natural resources. Let us make every individual in Michigan realize that everybody loses when timber burns.

Maybe Europe's attitude toward this country is due to the fact that when you loan a fellow money you lose his friendship.

### A TRAINMAN'S PLEA

We have before us a letter signed by a Missouri Pacific railroad train dispatcher. It has to do with grade crossing hazards and the strain under which trainmen labor. Almost every day we read of tag-along accidents at grade crossings. Speaking of these, the writer says: "In talking to engineers and trainmen on this subject I find that they are almost unanimous in the statement that every trip over the road they observe motors racing along the highways, trying to overtake or pass their trains and get to grade crossings and cross over ahead of them, and then give signals indicating that they think they have performed a wonderful act. No person can know what feelings the engine men have when things like this are done, and when, as sometimes happens, instead of the safe crossing of the motor car, the man at the throttle of the engine and other employees on the train are given such a shock that their efficiency is often impaired." "The automobile driver who is reckless as to his own safety might at least be fair with the fellow in the cab of a railroad engine.

The old-fashioned congressman may have been a politician at heart, but at least he managed to get us a couple packages of garden seeds every spring.

### COVENTRY SCHOOL NOTES

Education begins the gentleman, but reading, good company and reflection must finish him.—Locke.  
We are glad spring is here as we all enjoy playing out doors.  
A short time ago a surprise party was held at the school house. Games were played, refreshments were served and the games continued far into the evening. Outside guests were Miss Thersa Vallad, James and Arthur Bigham, Stanley Hummel and Andrew Fox.  
Francis Fox has returned to school after being absent during the winter months.  
The seventh and eighth grades are having tests preparatory to examinations.  
The eighth grade has just completed the study of sections.  
The sixth and seventh grades are having a review in Geography.  
Everyone has the base ball fever now-a-days, and many games have been fought and lost.

Teacher: "I want you to give the names of these pictures. We will have the smallest ones give them first. Orvil, you may be first."  
Orvil: "Aw! I am bigger than Emma."

### REFLECTIONS

All men are equal—as husbands.  
The man is always the fool in a love affair.  
The second helpin' never tastes as good as the first.  
A woman will stand for anything—from a baby six months old.  
It's a long time since we've seen a man with a tooth brush in his vest pocket.  
The man who has a reputation for bull head luck is usually a bull-head for work.  
One of the indictments of civilization is that happiness and intelligence are so rarely found in the same person.  
After a city man has spent a winter in Florida and made a census of the occupations of the winter inhabitants, he quits.

## Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. Bailey, Co. Agricultural Agent

### High Living

This is the time of year in which we seem to crave ham and eggs, fried sausage, maple syrup and home made jam. Waterpiping farmers could do quite a business in peddling these springtime foodstuffs.

### Make Some More Money

Some farmer can do quite a business in taking orders to furnish and set out maple shade trees.

Such trees need not be over seven feet in height. A group of fine roots, the size of a wash tub, should be taken up with the tree. A wet blanket should be placed over the roots the minute the tree is dug out of the woods. The tree should be kept under this wet blanket until taken thence direct to the hole in which it is to be set. Drying and sunlight are fatal to the roots of a tree or shrub.

In planting, tread the dirt down hard while putting in the hole. Put in a pail or two of water. Leave three inches of loose dirt, last put in as a much to reduce evaporation of moisture. Don't pour water on this loose top layer.

### Good for Garden

It's a pity to see so many leaves going up in smoke when our gardens need them so much.

Leaves and grass plowed in, and the wood ashes dusted on top and raked in would greatly help many a sick garden spot.

### Need a Tonic

Many a garden, on farm and in town, needs a spring tonic in the form of decaying vegetable matter and acid phosphate. Some of them need ammonium sulphate too.

A car of fertilizer will soon arrive here. See the County Agent.

Many a lawn would look healthier if treated to lime or ammonium sulphate or acid phosphate, or a combination of these. See the County Agent.

### Guess We'll Have to Burn 'Em

Those milk sheets we have been trying to give away to our farmers.

Those fine farm magazines we have been saving and trying to give away.

Those beautiful catalogues of trees, shrubs, strawberry plants, raspberry current and gooseberry bushes, as well as of garden seeds, we sent for in such high hopes that someone would be interested. No, hum!

### Going to Have Alfalfa

Tony Nelson, Andrew Mortenson and Theodore Christoperson are shipping in a car of sacked pulverized alfalfa for the Bayview-Crestview farm. Two of these farmers, Tony Nelson and Theodore Christoperson, will add liberal amounts of acid phosphate to the time.

All three are using the best Grimm alfalfa seed.

### Spuds for 35 Years

Good seed potatoes will be scarce and high this spring. Am informed that they will cost from \$3 to \$3.50 a bushel in the Gaylord region.

Those wishing the County Agent to help in locating good seed should tell him soon. He will file the request with the County Agent at Gaylord, who will locate good seed.

Nobody knows what the price of potatoes will be this summer and fall. Your County Agent has never seen farmers receive prices for potatoes two years in succession.

He has never seen it profitable in 35 years to plant high-priced seed for table stock.

### Quite a Price

Capper's Farmer states that "Hen's dirty feet cost farmers of the United States twenty-two million dollars last year. Undersized, cracked and fertile eggs add other millions to the annual loss."

Film Shows Folly of Firing Woods for Grass

"Trees of Righteousness," a three-reel motion picture by the United States Department of Agriculture, is designed to combat the evil of "woods burning," particularly in the Ozark region. Woods burning, to "green up the woods" in the spring, has been practiced for generations in that region, with the result that woods pasture has been ruined and the existence of the forests threatened through the killing of young trees. The picture shows graphically the folly of a practice that results in nothing but a growth of wire grass, broom sedge, and oak brush.

The story of "Trees of Righteousness" concerns the efforts of a mountain preacher to convince his flock that woods burning is a prime cause of lack of prosperity among them. He points to cattle that are "walking skeletons" as proof that "greening the woods" is worse than useless.

The picture contains spectacular fire scenes, ending in the burning of a barn, as well as incidental scenes showing various picturesque details of the annual two-day picnic at Lurton, Ark., in the heart of the Ozarks.

Answered by Specialists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture

Question: Is it necessary to cook pork which is to be eaten?

Answer: Yes. The Federal Meat Inspection Service states that there is no known method of inspecting pork to insure the absence of trichinae in the meat. Therefore all pork should be well cooked, otherwise it may cause a parasitic disease known as trichinosis.

Question: How much does the farm contribute toward the family living?

Answer: Data gathered from about 2,000 farm families in six widely separated localities from 1919 to 1923 showed that the farm contributed on the average about \$623 toward the family living. This amounted to about 40 per cent of the total cost of living per farm family.

Question: What foods does the department suggest for anemic children?

Answer: Egg yolk is unusually rich in iron and is very valuable in such cases. Prunes, raisins, orange juice, green vegetables, especially spinach, are valuable sources of this important constituent. Liver has been shown to be especially valuable in such a condition.

Good Letter from Dan Babbitt  
Camp Wash-Ka Da  
Grayling, Mich.  
April 17, 1926.

Dear Mr. Bailey:

It may be of interest to you to know of my experience with a few hens. Last May 10th and 12th, 1925, I hatched 44 chicks from four hens. Not having any hens up to this time I bought eggs from a local farmer, not knowing what kind of chickens he had and didn't care in particular, as I wanted them for broilers. When these eggs hatched I had a great assortment of variety—White Leghorns, Rhode Island Reds and Barred Rocks. I feed them Red Hen Scratch feed and a mash consisting of—middlings moistened with skim milk, also gave them sour milk to drink. I kept them parked and in ten weeks they weighed from two to two and one-half pounds a piece. The pullets were so nice when at that age, I decided to winter them. There were 39 in number. I did not have a very warm house for them. However, it was not drafty and it was dry.

Early in the fall I began feeding them meat scraps, ruta-bagas, alfalfa chaff, oyster shells, gravel and plenty of clean water.

On Nov. 23, 1925, I was awarded an egg. The next day I got two more. In the last week of November they laid one dozen and six eggs.

In December they laid twenty dozen and five eggs.

In January, 1926 they laid eighteen dozen and three eggs.

In February, 1926 they laid nineteen dozen and six eggs.

In March, 1926 they laid thirty-four dozen and eight eggs.

Up to date, April 17, they laid 20 dozen and eleven eggs.

The food consumed by these hens since they started laying, not considering the sour milk and alfalfa chaff, amounts to \$13.75.

My family, consisting of three of us, ate all the fresh eggs we cared for and I sold the remainder, which was 67 dozen, bringing \$55.15, or a profit of \$41.40.

Barring March and April, this record is taken from the most difficult months of the year for egg production.

Do hens pay?  
Yours very truly,  
Dan C. Babbitt.



## Mother's Day FLOWERS

Mothers will appreciate getting Flowers every day in the year, but most of all she appreciates getting a bouquet of wonderful blossoms on Mother's Day. It costs very little to make her happy, if you come here to buy.

Kindly put in your order now if anything special is wanted in baskets or cut flowers for Mother's Day.

## Grayling Greenhouses

Phone 444

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends for the kind sympathy and for the beautiful floral offerings, during our late bereavement.

Mrs. Charles Jackson, Detroit.  
Mrs. Ada Knight and daughter Ellen.

It will be interesting to note what effect, if any, the wet and dry investigation in Washington will have on the corn market.

Germany surely is optimistic. The government has accepted another invitation sent out by the League of Nations.

HOUSE FOR SALE—INQUIRE OF Mrs. W. M. Kuster.

FOR SALE BEFORE MAY 4th—Household goods, blacksmith tools, gasoline engine, team, lathe, wagons, sleighs, and 6-cylinder Buick. Mrs. Frank McGuire, Deward.

500 WOOD CHOPPERS WANTED—Steady work. Locations are at Mancolona, Frederic, Gaylord, Albion and Johannesburg. Apply the Anthrim Iron Co. Mancolona, Mich. 4-15-4

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FOR SALE OR RENT—"MEIRILL" farm, W 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 21, T. 25 N., R. 3 W., Beaver Creek Twp., 2 miles East of the town hall. Inquire at 301 Center Ave., Bay City, Mich., phone 525.

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## LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, APRIL 29TH, 1926.

John Yuill of Vanderbilt spent Sunday visiting Miss Lillian Ziebell.

Martha Washington slippers for under feet can be had at Olson's.

Mrs. Victor Smith who has been quite ill at her home the past two weeks is improving.

G. T. Kerry of Kerry & Hanson Flooring Co. and Carl Johnson are driving new Nash Victoria coupes.

For a right smart, in first-class condition used car, see T. E. Douglas, Peaches for little money.

Freeman Oxford cost no more than the ordinary and look and wear 50 per cent better. Get them at Olson's.

Mrs. Frank May and son, Frank, Jr., returned Saturday afternoon from a several days visit with relatives in Pinconning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bebb motored up from Bay City Friday to visit for the week with their son Alfred Bebb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoffman, formerly of Saginaw, left Monday afternoon for Detroit to visit relatives a few days.

David Knecht, caretaker of the knight's club, house on the Main street, says they have just built addition to the club size 18x24 feet.

Dresses for the Junior Hop. A fine new assortment at the Gift Shop. Come in early, so as to give us time to make any necessary alterations.

St. Mary's Sodality was entertaining last Thursday evening by Misses Gertrude Loskos and Genevieve Montour at the home of the former. The hostesses served a nice lunch.

Offie Cody, who is employed by the M. C. R. out of Detroit was in Grayling over Sunday. His family have joined him in Detroit where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bennett, son Maurice and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bennett were called to Pinconning Saturday, owing to the death of the former's brother-in-law, O. J. Smith.

Mother's Day cards, Where? At the Gift Shop.

Jarnac moist Rouge, Complexion cream and Face Powder at Central Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cooley are entertaining Mr. Cooley's brother-in-law, D. J. Whitcomb of Vassar, who will be here for several days.

There will be regular communication of Grayling Lodge F. & A. M. Thursday evening, May 6th, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Important business.

One person said: "I want to praise you for your splendid curtain work. My curtains never were so beautifully done before, from now on the Grayling Laundry shall always do them."

The fourth and last division of the Mercy Hospital Aid Society will give a bake sale and silver tea, Saturday afternoon, May 15, in the Board of Trade rooms for the benefit of Mercy hospital. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

We wish to correct a report in last week's paper that said Albert Charon was driving a new Flint car. It is a Pontiac car instead, purchased from the Sisson agency, in the Benson garage. Also Joe Kernowsky is driving a new Pontiac.

Isaac Bouslay of Wyandotte spent the latter part of the week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lamotte. On his return home Saturday night he was accompanied by William Wilson and Floyd Lovely, who will remain in Wyandotte for a time.

William Heric went over to East Tawas by rail Friday to get his car that had been in storage there since Christmas time. On his return he was accompanied by Mrs. Heric's sister Miss Annabelle Nielsen and her friend Miss Edith Davey, who are spending the week here.

The fire department was called out Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock, when the roof of the Dr. Foul residence, occupied by Lorane Sparks and family was discovered on fire.

The conflagration was noticed before it had gained much headway, so that the damage resulting was slight.

Several members of Grayling Masonic Lodge drove to Roscommon Tuesday evening to witness the exaltation of the third degree of the Roscommon F. & A. M.

The party included Harold Jarmin, Carl Peterson, Phil Quigley, Esbern Olson, George Olson, Allen Failing, Clayton Strachly, William Jensen, Holger Peterson, Elnor Matson, Dell Weir, Ralph Hanna, Julius Jensen, Luther Herick.

Mrs. Ed. Gibbons returned Wednesday from a few days visit in Mackinac.

Lyle Milks, who was operated upon at Mercy hospital Monday afternoon, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Paul Hendrie returned the latter part of the week from a visit with relatives in Maple Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tetu left Wednesday night for Flint to be gone a couple of days on business.

Mrs. Conrad Sorenson who underwent an operation at Mercy hospital Monday, is improving rapidly.

Mr. A. G. Wiseman of Roscommon is a patient at Mercy hospital, having been operated upon Tuesday.

Waldemar Olson of Detroit arrived Wednesday to spend several days visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Nels Olson.

We have lots of Boys' Shoes that we are selling at 25 per cent off the regular price. Come in and see them at Olson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Graham returned the last of the week from Detroit, the former having just returned from Florida.

Miss Philomena Kraus is a patient at Mercy hospital, having been operated upon Monday. At present she is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Keely and daughter Evelyn came from Flint Monday to attend the funeral of their uncle O. J. Smith.

We are proud to say that Grayling Made butter is the highest rated butter to be had in Grayling. Get it at our grocers or at Grayling Creamery.

Word has just been received of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Merrill of Saginaw. Mrs. Merrill will be remembered as Miss Eleanor Streeter and Mr. Merrill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Merrill formerly of Beaver Creek. Their friends extend congratulations.

Oscar J. Smith, a pioneer resident of Crawford county, died at his home in Pinconning Friday April 25, at the age of 70 years and 8 months. The remains were brought to Grayling Monday and laid to rest beside his father and mother. He leaves a wife, one son Floyd of Durand, Michigan and a daughter, Mrs. George Tilt and three grand children of Detroit and a host of friends to mourn.

He was a brother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bennett of this city. Mr. Smith had charge of the county house in Grayling 35 years ago.

Grayling Lodge F. & A. M. gave a smoker last Thursday evening in honor of Past Master George N. Olson, at which time he was presented with a past master's apron. During the evening Clark's orchestra played a number of selections that were thoroughly enjoyed. A lovely banquet was served under direction of Mrs. Luther Herick. Following which a wonderful Master Harold G. Jarmin, acting as toastmaster, made a few appropriate remarks, and Mr. W. E. Curnalia of Roscommon and several others who were called upon, gave interesting talks. It was a very enjoyable affair and a fine compliment to the guest of honor, Mr. Olson.

One inch of snow fell Tuesday night wasn't very inspirational for those who were planning on camping on a trout stream the last of the week. The rain of Tuesday afternoon developed early in the evening into a wet snow and before morning a white mantle had been spread over the outdoors. Weatherman George Schaible says that the precipitation was forty-seven one-hundredths of an inch between 2:00 p. m. Tuesday and Wednesday morning. The sun came out warm Wednesday morning and by noon evidence of the snow was pretty well erased. The air, however, is quite chilly and only the most hardy are liable to unfurl their tents on the trout streams of Crawford county Saturday morning, unless Old So gets pretty busy during the next 24 hours.

Clarence Feldhauser of Saginaw, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Feldhauser of this city, lies in a critical condition in Mercy hospital, Bay City, as the result of injuries received in an automobile accident Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Feldhauser and a friend Dewey Mann were driving in the Feldhauser car when it collided with a car driven by Sgt. John R. Mayner of Saginaw. Mr. Feldhauser, who was the most seriously injured, is suffering with a bad bruise on his head, which at first was thought to be a fractured skull and cuts about the face and arms. The rest received cuts and bruises, none of which proved serious. Mrs. Henry Feldhauser and daughter, Mrs. Albert Knibbs, left Monday afternoon for Bay City, the latter returning Tuesday.

Owing to the continued cold weather we have decided to postpone our fashion show until a later date. But Mr. H. M. Bell will be with us next Wednesday, May 6th, with a full line of summer dresses, one day only. Redson & Cooley.

Mother's Day cards, Where? At the Gift Shop.

A. H. VanDoran and daughter Mrs. Waid, Maryland of Gaylord were in town on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bailey accompanied by Mrs. H. C. McKinley motored to Gaylord this morning on business.

Miss Nellie Thayer of Detroit is spending several days here, the guest of John Huber, who the first of the year purchased the Roberts meat market.

Nemesius Nielsen Tuesday sold his property west of the hospital to James H. Williams of South Branch township. The property consists of two residences and eight acres of land.

The "Jolly Eight" club met last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Walter Doroh. Prizes were won by Mrs. Elmer Johnson and Mrs. Minnie Benson. After the games the hostess served a delicious lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. James Milne of Saginaw arrived in Grayling Tuesday and have opened their cottage at Lake Margrethe for the season. On leaving Grayling last fall Mr. and Mrs. Milne took a motor trip through Florida, Tennessee and other places, returning to Saginaw in December.

Miss Ruth Gregory entertained a number of lady friends at a delightful party Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Holger Schmidt. Three tables had been arranged for bridge, first prize being won by Miss Alice Harri-

son and consolation by Miss Clara Hanson. After the games the guests partook of a delicious two-course lunch.

Earl Wood of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Douglas of Saginaw and Mrs. Ellen Failing, who has been visiting her daughters in Bay City and Saginaw for several weeks, drove in Saturday and spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Olson.

Miss Ellen Failing remained here for a longer visit with her daughter, Mrs. Olson and family.

Your choice of over 200 pairs of light lots of slippers, shoes and over for the whole family at 25 per cent off at Olson's.

Mrs. H. A. Bauman was hostess to the ladies of the Bridge club at a lovely luncheon at Shoppenagon Inn Saturday afternoon. The guests spent the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bauman where four tables were filled for bridge. Mrs. Schumann held the high score. This finishes the parties for the season. A business meeting was held and Mrs. Schumann was elected president for the ensuing year.

Ladies, don't miss seeing Mr. Bell's beautiful dresses next week Wednesday, May 5th at Redson & Cooley's.

Mother's Day cards, Where? At the Gift Shop.

MRS. MARY E. KNIGHT

The death of Mrs. Mary E. Knight at Mercy hospital Wednesday night of last week, marked the passing of Crawford county's early pioneers. Mrs. Knight passed away at 9:00 o'clock Wednesday evening following an operation performed that morning that was of a serious nature, which together with the old lady's advanced age was more than she could stand.

The funeral was held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with services at the Michelson Memorial church, conducted by Rev. J. Herman Baughn. There were many members of the local Eastern Star and Rebekah lodges present at the last rites. Interment took place in Grayling cemetery.

Mrs. Knight was born in New York state August 12, 1846 and came to Grayling about forty years ago. Up to a few years ago she operated a rooming and boarding house in the building at the corner of Cedar and Ogema streets, which about a year ago was damaged by fire.

Mrs. Knight's husband, Stephen C. Knight, passed away many years ago and her five children, all sons, also preceded her in death some years ago. Besides one sister who resides in New York state, the deceased is survived by an adopted daughter, Mrs. Emma Jackson of Detroit, who came, owing to Mrs. Knight's illness, and a granddaughter, Miss Ellen Knight of Grayling.

The deceased was a charter member of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 85, that was organized in Grayling November 6, 1891 of which she was an active worker. For more than 25 years she served as chaplain. She was also a member of the Rebekah lodge. Mrs. Knight, united with the local Methodist church many years ago and took much pride in teaching a Sunday school class until her health became poor.

The deceased had many friends who were grieved to hear of her demise.

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O. E. S. HOLDS INSTALLATION

Friday evening, April 23rd, Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 85 held a special meeting at which installation of officers took place. Mrs. Angie Ashenfelter acted as installing officer and the following were installed: Worthy Master—Augusta Wall. Worthy Patrons—Melvin Bates. Associate Master—Anna Herick. Secretary—Mabel Brasie. Treasurer—Oliver Shaw. Conductress—Katherine Hendrie. Asst. Conductress—Isa Granger. Adm.—Ferne Armstrong. Ruth—Zina Peterson. Esther—Mary Fehr. Martha—Margaret Burton. Elects—Laura McLeod.

MARSHAL—NELLIE McNEVEN

Ward—Corra Schoonover. Sentinel—William McNeven. Organist—Leelah Olson. After installation Mrs. Charles Gothro sang two beautiful solos and Mrs. A. J. Price rendered a pretty violin solo. Melvin Bates, on behalf of the Chapter, presented the retiring Worthy Master, Mrs. Leelah Olson, with a lovely Italian pottery basket. The newly elected Worthy Master, Mrs. Wall, was agreeably surprised when she was presented with a gorgeous basket of roses, a gift from her husband. Late in the evening delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. William Curnalia of Roscommon was a guest of the Chapter.

## Junior Prom to Be May 7th

In spite of the fact that the Juniors have had a streak of bad luck, they have planned a fine Prom to be given May 7th.

They have been working hard the past two weeks and have hopes of making the party a big success.

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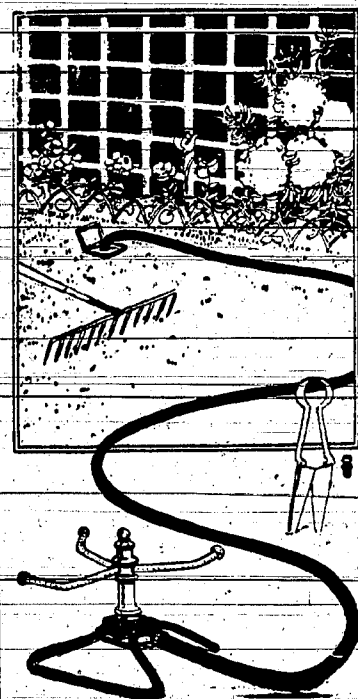
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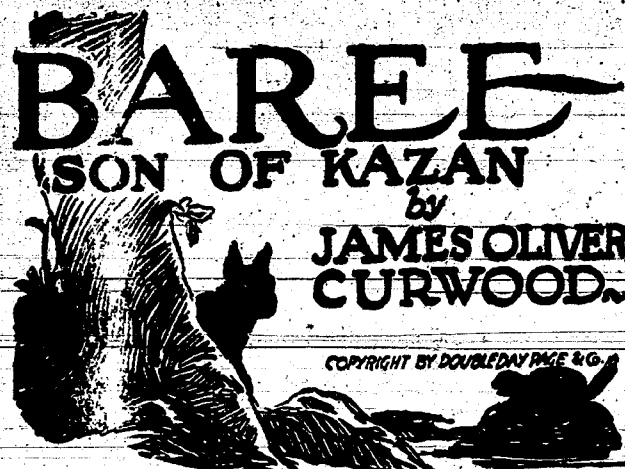
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## THE STORY

CHAPTER I.—Last wolf, part dog—when two months old Baree has his first meeting with an enemy, Papaya, a chisow (young owl), fighting him for the sole possession of a small creek.

CHAPTER II.—Badly buffeted, and half-drowned, Baree is finally rescued on the bank, but the water has destroyed his sense of direction, and he is lost, lonely and hungry. For many days his life is one of fear and distress. He finally wanders into the trapping grounds of a half-breed, Pierrot, who, in turn, is the daughter, Nepeese, who shoots and wounds him, but he escapes.

CHAPTER III.—The wolf blood in Baree becomes uppermost. He rapidly learns Nature's secrets, though he finds no comrades and is desperately lonely.

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Pierrot came over the slope, and at the same instant they saw Wakayoo and Baree.

When they entered into the grassy dip under the rock walls, Baree turned sharply to the right. Here was a great boulder, one end of it tilted up off the earth. It looked like a splendid hiding place, and Baree crawled under it.

But Wakayoo kept straight ahead into the meadow.

From where he lay Baree could see what happened. Suddenly, he saw Wakayoo crawling under the rock when Nepeese and Pierrot appeared through the break in the dip, and stopped. The fact that they stopped thrilled Baree. They were afraid of Wakayoo! The big bear was two-thirds of the way across the meadow. The sun fell on him, so his coat shone like black satin. Pierrot did not kill for the love of killing. Necessity made him a conservationist. But he saw that in spite of the lateness of the season, Wakayoo's coat was splendid—and he raised his rifle.

Baree saw this action. He saw a moment later, something spit from the end of the gun, and then he heard that deafening crash that had come with his own hurt, when the Willow's bullet had burned through his flesh. He turned his eyes swiftly to Wakayoo. The big bear had stumbled; he was on his knees; and then he struggled up and lumbered on.

The four or five came again, and a second time Wakayoo went down. Pierrot could not miss at that distance. Wakayoo made a splendid mark. It was slaughter; yet for Pierrot and Nepeese it was business—the business of life.

Baree was shivering. It was more from excitement than fear, for he had lost his own fear in the tragedy of these moments. A low white rose in his throat as he looked at Wakayoo, who had risen again and faced his enemies—his jaws gaping, his head swinging slowly, his legs weakening under him as the blood poured through his torn lungs. Baree winced because Wakayoo had fished for him, because he had come to look on him as a friend, and because he knew it was death that Wakayoo was facing now. There was a third shot—the last. Wakayoo sank down in his tracks. His big head dropped between his forepaws. A racking cough or two came to Baree. And then there was silence.

It was slaughter—but business.

A minute later, standing over Wakayoo, Pierrot said to Nepeese: "Mon Dieu, but it is a fine skin. Sakahet! It is worth twenty dollars over at Lac Bain!"

He drew forth his knife and began whetting it on a stone which he carried in his pocket. In these minutes Baree might have crawled out from under the rock and escaped down the canyon; for a space he was forgotten. Then Nepeese thought of him, and in this strange, wondering, while she spoke again the word "Baree."

Pierrot, who was kneeling, looked up at her.

"Oul, Sakahet. He was born of the wild. And now he is gone."

The Willow shook her head.

"Non, he is not gone," she said, and her dark eyes gleamed at the small meadow.

As she gazed the ragged edges of the little meadow flashed back swiftly. Two years ago they had buried her princess mother under the tall spruce near their cabin. That day Pierrot's sun had set for all time, and her own life was filled with a vast loneliness. There had been three at the graveside that afternoon as the sun went down—Pierrot, herself, and a dog, a great, powerful husky with a white star on his breast and a white-tipped ear. He had been her dead mother's pet from puppyhood—her bodyguard, with her always, even with his head resting on the side of her bed as she died. And that night, the night of the day they buried her, the dog had disappeared. He had gone as quietly and as completely as her spirit. No one ever saw him after that. It was strange, and to Pierrot it was a miracle. Deep in his heart he was filled with the wonderful conviction that the dog had gone with his beloved Wyola into heaven.

But Nepeese had spent three winters at the Missioner's school at Nelson house. She had learned a great deal about white people and the real God, and she knew that Pierrot's thought was impossible. She believed that her mother's husky was either dead or had joined the wolves. Probably he had gone to the wolves. Probably it was not possible that this summer he had returned and had pursued was of the flesh and blood of her mother's pet? It was more than possible. The white star on his breast, the white-tipped ear—the fact that he had not bitten her when he might easily have buried his fangs in the soft flesh of her arms! She was convinced. While Pierrot skinned the bear, she began hunting for Baree.

Baree had not moved an inch from under his rock. He lay like a thing stunned, his eyes fixed steadily on the scene of the tragedy out in the meadow. He had seen something that he would never forget—even as he would never quite forget his mother and Kanan and the old windfall. He had witnessed the death of the creature he had thought all-powerful. Wakayoo, the big bear, had not even put up a fight. Pierrot and Nepeese

had killed him without touching him; now Pierrot was cutting him with a knife, which shot silvery flashes in the sun; and Wakayoo made no movement. It made Baree shiver, and he drew himself an inch farther back under the rock, where he was already wedged as if he had been shoved there by a strong hand.

He could see Nepeese. She came straight back to the break through which his sight had taken him, and stood at last not more than twenty feet from where he was hidden. Now that she stood where he could not escape, she began waving her shining hair into the eyes of Pierrot, and he watched her curiously. He was not afraid now. His nerves tingled in him a strange and growing force was struggling to solve a great mystery—the reason for his desire to creep out from under his rock and approach that wonderful creature with the shining eyes and the beautiful hair. Nepeese was looking about her. She was smiling. For a moment her face was turned toward him, and he saw the white shine of her teeth, and her beautiful eyes seemed glowing straight at him.

And then, suddenly, she dropped on her knees and peered under the rock. Their eyes met. For at least half a minute there was not a sound. Nepeese did not move, and her breath came so softly that Baree could not hear it.

Then she said, almost in a whisper: "Baree! Baree! Up! Baree!"

It was the first time Baree had heard his name, and there was something so soft and assuring in the sound of it that in spite of himself the dog in him responded to it in a whimper that just reached the Willow's ears. Slowly she stretched in an arm. It was bare and round and soft. He might have darted forward the length of his body and buried his fangs in it easily. But something held him back. He knew that it was not an enemy; he knew that the dark eyes shining at him so wonderfully were not filled with the desire to harm; and the voice that came to him softly was like a strange and thrilling music.

"Baree! Baree! Up! Baree!"

Over and over again the Willow called to him like that, while on her face she tried to draw herself a few inches farther under the rock. She could not reach him. There was still a foot between her hand and Baree, and she could not wedge herself in an inch more. And then she saw where on the other side of the rock there was a hollow, shut in by a stone. If she had removed the stone, and come in that way—

She drew herself out and stood once more in the sunshine. Her heart thrilled. Pierrot was busy over his bear, and she would not call him. She made an effort to move the stone, which closed in the hollow under the big boulder, but it was wedged in tightly. Then she began digging with a stick. If Pierrot had been there, his sharp eyes would have discovered the significance of that stone, which was not larger than a water pail. Possibly for centuries it had lain there, its upper surface having been worn from toppling down, just as an ounce-weight may swing the balance of a wheel that weighs a ton.

Five minutes and Nepeese could move the stone. She tugged at it, inch by inch, she dragged it out until at last it lay on her feet and the opening was ready for her body. She looked again toward Pierrot. He was still busy, and she laughed softly as she uttered a big red-and-white Bay handkerchief from about her shoulder. With this she would secure Baree. She dropped on her hands and knees, and then lowered herself flat on the ground and began crawling into the hollow under the boulder.

Baree had moved. With the back of his head flattened against the rock, he had heard something which Nepeese had not heard; he had felt a slow and growing pressure, and from this pressure he had dug himself slowly, and the pressure still followed. The mass of rock was settling! Nepeese did not see or hear or understand. She was calling to him more and more pleadingly:

"Baree—Baree—Baree—"

Her head and shoulders and both arms were under the rock now. The glow of her eyes was very close to Baree. He winced. The thrill of a great and impending danger stirred in his blood. And then—

In that moment Nepeese felt the pressure of the rock on her shoulder, and into the eyes that had been glowing softly at Baree there shot a sudden wild look of horror. And then there came from her lips a cry that was not like any other sound Baree had ever heard in the wilderness. Wild, piercing, filled with agonized fear, Pierrot did not hear that first cry. But he heard the second and the third—and then a scream after scream as the Willow's tender body was slowly crushed under the settling mass. He ran toward it with the speed of the wind. The cries were weaker—dying away. He saw Baree as he came out from under the rock and ran into the canyon, and in the same instant he saw a part of the Willow's dress and her unconsented feet. The rest of her was hidden under the death-trap. Like a madman Pierrot began digging. When a few moments later he drew Nepeese out from under the boulder she was white and deathly still. Her eyes were closed. His hand could not feel that she was living, and a great moan of anguish rose out of his soul. But he knew how to fight for a life. He tore open her dress and found that she was not crushed as he had feared. Then he ran for water. When he returned the Willow's eyes were open and she was gasping for breath.

"The blessed saints be praised!" sobbed Pierrot, falling on his knees at her side. "Nepeese, ma Nepeese!"

She smiled at him, with her two hands on her bare breast, and Pierrot hugged her up to him, forgetting the water he had run so hard to get.

Still later, when he got down on his knees and peered under the rock, his face turned white and he said:

"Mon Dieu, if it had not been for



"Nepeese, Ma Nepeese!"

that little hollow—in the earth.

Nepeese—

He shuddered, and said no more. But Nepeese, happy in his salvation, made a movement with her hand and said, smiling at him:

"I would have been like—that. Ah, mon pere, I hope I shall never have a lover like that rock!"

Pierrot's face darkened as he bent over her.

"Non!" he said fiercely. "Never!"

He was thinking again of McTaggart, the factor at Lac Bain, and his hands clenched while his lips softly touched the Willow's hair.

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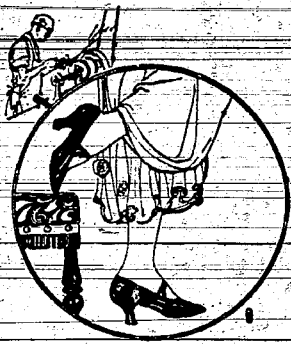
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## Local News

THURSDAY, APRIL 29TH, 1926.

Buy Robin Hood Shoes for children at Olson's.

Dr. C. R. Keyport went to Bay City yesterday afternoon to visit his parents.

Glenn B. Arnold of Ypsilanti was in the city the fore part of the week on business.

The new Fruit Laxative, Boal's Rolls have arrived.

Central Drug Store.

Mrs. Blanche Hull and son Jack returned Monday from a week's visit with friends in Saginaw and Detroit.

Mrs. R. H. Gillett left yesterday afternoon to spend several days in Bay City and Saginaw.

Miss Mildred Bates entertained a few lady friends at a six o'clock dinner and luncheon party at her home Monday evening.

Now is the time to have your curtains cleaned. Send them to the Grayling Laundry.

Try a pound of Grayling-Made butter and we vouch you will eat no other. Phone 913 and we will deliver it. Grayling Creamery.

If you fought in the World war you should be a member of the American Legion. Join Post No. 106, now.

Mrs. M. A. Bates returned Wednesday afternoon from a week's visit with her daughter Mrs. Ben Jerome and family in Pontiac.

Children's clothes of all kinds are wanted at the health center. Call Mrs. Squires, county nurse, or leave them at the health center.

R. Huellmantel, who substituted as express agent during the absence of Eugene Darveau, returned to his home in Traverse City the latter part of the week.

B. E. Smith returned Sunday morning from Tecumseh with his car, which he had been forced to leave there during Easter vacation on account of the snowstorm.

Benton Jorgenson and Donald Herdick, Detroit, accompanied by Howard Herick of Flint, drove in Friday night and spent the week end visiting their respective parents.

Mrs. Charles Wilbur returned Saturday afternoon from Bay City where she spent a few days visiting her daughter Mrs. George Wendt and family, having been called there by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cody and the latter's brother Stanley Bunk left Tuesday for Ann Arbor where Mr. Cody will enter a hospital for treatment, having suffered a relapse from his recent illness.

Little Ralph Rautier of Detroit, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bauman, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is reported to be improving rapidly and will soon be able to leave the hospital.

Bills are out announcing the closing out of my entire line of shoes—ladies and gents—entire stock. Too late for a paper, your attention is called for shoes the latest styles, at prices that will astonish you, don't forget Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Connine and daughter Mary Gretchen of Detroit came Friday and spent the week end at the home of the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Connine, also Mr. and Mrs. D. Trevino of Cadillac, parents of Mrs. Harry Connine, spent Sunday at the Connine home here.

Geo. Burke, Ford agent, has made the following deliveries: Charles Moshier, a new Ford Coupe; Peter Robertson, a Ford Tudor Sedan; Frank Tetu has delivered a new Chevrolet Sedan.

Auto Sales Co. has delivered a Star 6 Coupe to Harry Reynolds and a Star 4 Sedan to Frank Serven.

We are in need of children's clothes of all kinds. Now that it is housewarming time, don't you wish to be securing many articles of clothing?

Remember we can always find someone who needs them, so please leave them at the health center or call Mrs. Squires.

Next week is National Music week. The National Federation of Women's clubs request that special musical programs be presented for the public during this time. The movement is being taken up by the ladies of the Good Fellowship club who have requested Manager George Olson of Grayling Opera House to present special musical program during the evening performances. He has kindly consented to do this. He is planning a number of special musical attractions for that week.

James H. Crane of Eldorado has sold his farm to Mr. Russell Stevens of Detroit. Mr. Crane has operated that farm for over 22 years and is one of the pioneer farmers of that region. He says that he intends to remain in Crawford county. Mr. Russell was formerly with the Press-Steel Co. of Detroit. He has already taken possession of the farm and will begin active operation at once. The Crane farm is a very excellent one, and well equipped, and the farm home is comfortable and pleasant. Mr. Crane felt that he must give up farm work because of ill health. We are glad to hear that he will remain with us. We are glad Mr. Russell will find Eldorado a hospitable neighborhood, and we wish to welcome him to our county.

The Danish bazaar and social held last Thursday afternoon and evening was very well attended and a financial success. The fancy work, aprons, children's dresses, etc. were displayed on tables upstairs, and there was also a table where home made candy was sold. In a corner of the room was a fish pond that was very much enjoyed by the kiddies present. In the basement lunch could be had at any time, which consisted of salads, many kinds of sandwiches, Klejner, Danish apple cake, Kringle, etc. During the evening twelve plants, which had been donated by T. W. Hanson, were sold, persons holding the winning numbers having choice of plants. The whole affair netted the Danish Ladies Aid about \$180.00, and they wish to express their thanks to T. W. Hanson, and all those who in any way helped to make this Bazaar the success that it was.

Eggs for setting. Purebred White Rock, B. A. Cooley, Ronnow Hanson is the new clerk at Olaf Sorenson & Sons store.

Mrs. Alonzo Collins was in Grayling on business last Wednesday.

Get a pair of pretty new slippers for the Junior Prom at Olson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Walt were in Grayling Tuesday and Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Trudeau and Mrs. Charles Fehr were in Grayling on business Monday.

Thomas Cassidy returned Saturday afternoon from a two days business trip to Bay City.

The Junior Red Cross is collecting their pennies now to order the Junior News for next year.

Mrs. Malcolm McLeod left Thursday for Lansing and Detroit to visit relatives a couple of weeks.

There will be a regular meeting of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 83, Wednesday evening, May 5th.

We sell Stock, Poultry, Dog and Cat remedies. Also Fish and Dog food. Central Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kraus and children drove to Durand Friday and spent the week end with relatives.

Miss Michelyn Ambroski of Grayling returned Tuesday afternoon to resume her duties as nurse at Mercy hospital.

Mrs. Georgia Shipley returned to her home in Delta Saturday after spending a couple weeks here with her daughter Miss Mable Shipley.

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Alfred Hermann left Friday night for Detroit and Port Hope to spend a few days. On his return he will drive back his new Ford Tudor sedan.

George Schroeder, who has his appendix removed a couple of weeks ago, was dismissed from Mercy hospital Saturday and is able to be out and around again.

Let the Grayling Laundry help you in your Spring house cleaning, curtains, bedding, rugs and your laundry bundle. Send them to the laundry, relieves the burden of house cleaning.

Little Miss Margaret Peterson was the happy recipient of many pretty birthday gifts Saturday evening when a number of friends of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Plagg, came to help the little tot celebrate her third birthday.

The Grayling Dowel & The Plug Company shipped a carload of the plugs to the state of Maine Wednesday. Some of their shipments go as far as Alaska. Recently an inquiry for plugs came from South America.

Their method of manufacture enables this firm to produce superior size plugs at a nominal cost.

Mr. R. Petersen, manager of the greenhouses, had a pleasant visitor Sunday when Albert Poschelon, owner of the Bomb Floral Company of Detroit, dropped in on him for a few hours chat. These gentlemen are old acquaintances. Mr. Poschelon was enroute to his cottage on the North Branch river.

Word was received here Tuesday morning of the death of Kenneth Smith, three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith of Grayling. The little lad was taken ill Sunday with convulsions and died Tuesday morning at 4:00 o'clock. The mother will be remembered as Miss Marguerite Hoyt, a former teacher of History in the Grayling schools, and is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates of this city.

Miss Bates was in Grayling Tuesday called there by the little lad's death.

The Home Hygiene classes have completed their examinations and both classes will meet next Tuesday evening at 7:30 to talk over results. Every member of the original class is requested to be present. Important plans are to be discussed. A little talk is to be provided on Community Health.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McNeven left Tuesday night for Saginaw and Flint to spend a couple of days on business.

C. C. Fink, who has for a number of years been in charge of the dining service on the Pennsylvania railroad, has resigned and came to Grayling to start farming. A number of years ago he purchased a farm in Maple Forest township where he has built a home. He says he likes farming better than railroading and that he intends to put in a busy year. He has already purchased a team of horses, seed of all kinds, and is now waiting the weather man so that he can begin. He will be another good citizen for this fine farming community.

Remember MOTHER on her day, May 9th. We have cards and candy that will make her happy. Also a special Victor album with 3 records. Central Drug Store.

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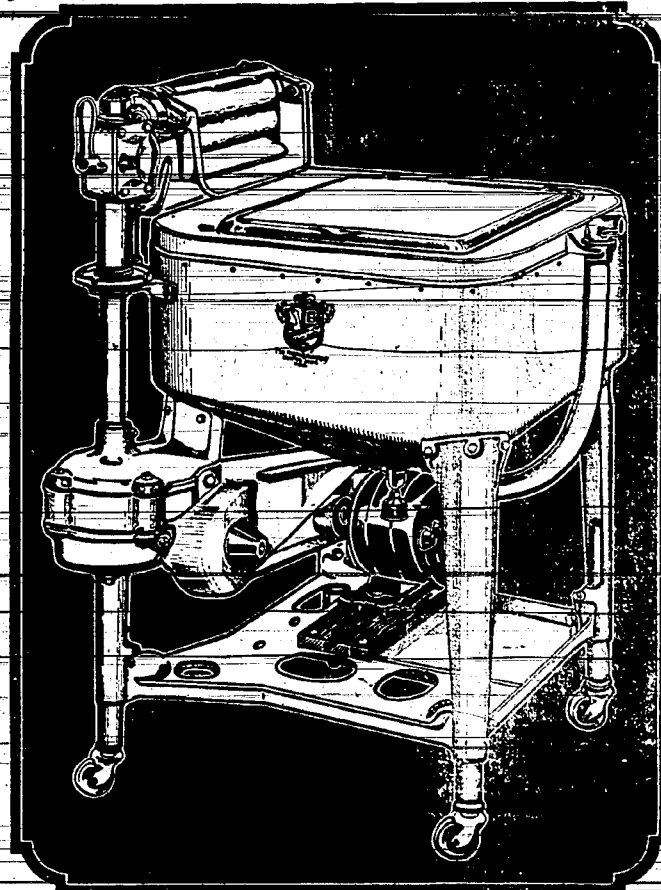
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## SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS

April Session, 1926

At a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford commenced and held at the Court House in the Village of Grayling on Monday the 19th day of April, A. D. 1926, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

Roll called: Present: George R. Annis, J. E. Kellogg, Rufus Edmonds, O. B. Scott. Absent: none.

Board called to order by the chairman.

Moved by Scott, supported by Kellogg, that Rufus Edmonds be selected as temporary chairman of this meeting. Motion carried.

Selection of permanent chairman was made by nomination and ballot.

The names of Rufus Edmonds and James E. Kellogg were presented for the election of permanent chairman, and the Board proceeded to ballot.

**Election of Chairman**

Total number of votes cast, five, of which number—J. E. Kellogg received three and Mr. Rufus Edmonds received two, upon which Mr. Kellogg was duly declared elected to chairman of this Board for the ensuing year.

Moved by Scott, supported by Kellogg, that a recess be taken to enable the chairman to select the standing committees for the ensuing year.

Board called to order and standing committees read as follows:

**Standing Committees**

Ways and Means—Annis, Nelson, Scott.

Claims and Accounts—Nelson, Scott, Annis.

Finance and Settlement—Goshorn, Annis, Edmonds.

Equalization—Scott, Nelson, Edmonds.

Apportionment—Annis, Edmonds, Goshorn.

County Building—Nelson, Annis, Scott.

Roads and Bridges—Goshorn, Scott, Edmonds.

County Poor—Scott, Nelson, Edmonds.

County Printing—Edmonds, Annis, Nelson.

Rules—Edmonds, Scott, Goshorn.

**Report of the Committee on Rules**

To the Board of Supervisors, Crawford County, Gentlemen:

Your committee on Rules to whom was referred the matter of the recommendation of Rules to be adopted by this Board from which shall be governed the procedure of its business in the transaction of its business for the ensuing year do herewith recommend that Tibbitt's Manual be adopted for the above mentioned purpose for the ensuing year.

Signed: RUFUS EDMONDS, OLIVER B. SCOTT, J. E. KELLOGG.

Dated April 19th, 1926.

Moved by Scott, supported by Edmonds, that the report of the committee on Rules be accepted, approved and adopted. Motion carried.

**Report of the Committee on Ways and Means**

The committee on Ways and Means reported verbally and recommended the appropriation of \$20.00 to the Top of Michigan Potato Show as Crawford county's quota for the year 1926 as requested from said association to be paid the secretary thereof from the general fund of the county.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Scott, that the report be accepted, approved and adopted. Motion carried.

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Rufus Edmonds, Floyd A. Goshorn, George R. Annis, O. B. Scott, A. J. Nelson.

Board called to order.

Moved by Scott, supported by Annis, that the claims on file be referred to the committee on Claims and Accounts for investigation and report. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott, supported by Annis, that the report of the committee on Claims and Accounts be accepted, approved and adopted.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Goshorn, Annis, Nelson, Kellogg, Edmonds, Scott. Nays: none. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott, supported by Goshorn, that the account of the Palmer Insurance Agency for the premium of Register of Deeds bond be allowed at \$7.50, and the County Clerk and Treasurer are hereby authorized to issue a warrant in payment thereof.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Goshorn, Annis, Kellogg, Edmonds, Scott. Nays: Nelson. Motion carried.

By appointment, Mrs. H. F. Peterson appeared before the Board, representing the Woman's Club of Grayling, and presented an application for permission for space on the Court House grounds for planting an evergreen tree to be made use of for public service at the holiday season.

By appointment, Mr. R. D. Bailey appeared before the Board and presented for consideration the matter of additional expense of his office of County Agricultural Agent for the year 1926, to April 1, 1926, as itemized and submitted by him to this Board for allowance.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Scott, that the expense account of Mr. R. D. Bailey, amounting to \$142.11, be allowed as submitted and that the County Clerk and Treasurer be authorized to draw a warrant therefor in payment of same from the general fund of the county.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Goshorn, Annis, Kellogg, Edmonds, Scott. Nays: Nelson. Motion carried.

**Appointment of County Road Commissioner (To fill vacancy)**

The names of Ernest P. Richardson and James H. Williams were duly presented for consideration for the appointment as County Road Commissioner. Mr. Williams personally withdrew his nomination therefor.

Moved by Nelson, supported by Scott, that the name of Ernest P. Richardson be placed on the ballot for election to fill the vacancy of the office of County Road Commissioner, for the unexpired term of Oliver B. Scott, which same expires on the 31st day of December, 1930.

Number of votes cast, six, of which number Ernest P. Richardson received six votes and was duly declared elected.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Scott, that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. Motion carried.

**FRANK SALES, Clerk.**

**J. E. KELLOGG, Chairman.**

Wednesday Session, April 21st, 1926. Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called: Present: J. E. Kellogg, O. B. Scott, F. A. Goshorn, Rufus Edmonds, George R. Annis, A. J. Nelson. Absent: none.

Board called to order by the chair.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Nelson, that the matter of the distribution system of the heating plant of the county buildings be referred to the committee on county buildings for investigation and report at the next meeting of this Board. Motion carried.

Moved by Nelson, supported by Goshorn, that the sheriff be and is herewith authorized to cause suitable repairs to the heating plant, chimneys to be made and the expense thereof shall be paid from the general fund of the county. Motion carried.

Moved by Nelson, supported by Scott, that the matter of the repair to the county buildings be paid over to the next session of this Board. Motion carried.

**Resolution**

Resolved that, whereas it appears from the books and records of the intervening sessions of this Board, and during which time there accumulates in the Sheriff's office various accounts incidental to the activities of that office, and it further appearing that at the time aforesaid the said office of Sheriff is required to advance considerable funds from his personal account to meet the requirements of the duties and which amount are charged against the county of Crawford and are subsequently paid by said county.

Therefore, be it resolved that in the future, all of said accounts for expenditures of the office of sheriff

may be submitted to the Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, who is hereby authorized and directed to examine each of said accounts as to their correctness and the liability of the county for the payment thereof and upon the completion of which, said account shall be referred to the office of the County Clerk under the endorsement of said Prosecuting Attorney for the payment thereof, at the regular semi-monthly or monthly periods, which said accounts shall be paid by the said County Clerk and Treasurer from the proper funds of the county, and the Clerk and Treasurer are hereby authorized to make such payments accordingly.

Moved by Scott, supported by Goshorn, that the foregoing resolution be accepted, approved and adopted.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Scott, Goshorn, Edmonds, Annis, Nelson, Kellogg. Nays: none. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott, supported by Annis, that the Board provide for two-page advertising section of the book let under compilation by the Isaac Walton League and that the expense thereof be paid from the general fund of the county and that the Clerk and Treasurer are authorized to make such payment accordingly.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Scott, Annis, Goshorn, Nelson, Edmonds, Kellogg. Nays: none. Motion carried.

Moved by Nelson, supported by Scott, that the sheriff be authorized to purchase the coal for use in the county building by means of competitive bids, and subject to his acceptance, of such grade or quality as he may direct. Further, that upon delivery and acceptance thereof and upon the enforcement by said sheriff of invoices covering such purchases, same shall be referred to the County Clerk and Treasurer who are hereby authorized to issue a warrant in payment thereof from the general fund of the county.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Nelson, Edmonds, Annis, Scott, Goshorn, Kellogg. Nays: none. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott, supported by Annis, that each of the several county officers be and are herewith authorized to effect the purchase of supplies for each of their said offices, and further that upon receipt of invoices for same endorsed for payment by the purchaser thereof, same shall be filed with the County Clerk, who is hereby authorized to issue warrants in payment therefor from the proper funds of the county.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Scott, Edmonds, Goshorn, Annis, Nelson, Kellogg. Nays: none. Motion carried.

Moved by Nelson, supported by Edmonds, that the matter of the exhibit of the county at the Northeast Michigan Fair be referred to the committee on county buildings for investigation and report at the next session of this Board. Motion carried.

Moved by Annis, supported by Edmonds, that the request of the County Treasurer that he be granted the fees of Delinquent Tax Collections of that office to be retained by him for his use and benefit be denied. Motion carried.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Scott, that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. Motion carried.

**FRANK SALES, Clerk.**

**J. E. KELLOGG, Chairman.**

Thursday Session, April 22nd, 1926. Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called: Present: Kellogg, Edmonds, Goshorn, Scott, Annis, Nelson. Absent: none.

Board called to order by the Chairman.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Scott, that the matter of the Infirmary-Burns be referred to the committee on county buildings for investigation and report. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott, supported by Goshorn, that the requirement of notice bearing offices hours heretofore agreed upon, for the several county officers be and is herewith rescinded and held for naught.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Edmonds, Annis, Nelson, Kellogg, Nays: Scott, Goshorn. Motion denied.

Moved by Edmonds, supported by Scott, that the several accounts of the Supervisors for their attendance at this session be allowed as charged and that the Clerk and Treasurer be and are herewith authorized to issue warrants in payment thereof from the general fund of the county.

Yea and nay vote called.

Minutes of this session read and approved.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Scott, that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. Thereupon the Board adjourned.

**FRANK SALES, Clerk.**

**J. E. KELLOGG, Chairman.**

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**April 20, 1926**

**A. J. NELSON, GEORGE ANNIS, OLIVER B. SCOTT, Committee on Claims and Accounts.**

**Report of the Committee on Claims and Accounts**

To the Board of Supervisors, Crawford County, Michigan, Gentlemen:

Your committee on Claims and Accounts would respectfully submit the following as their report, and do hereby recommend that the several amounts scheduled therein be allowed, also that the Clerk of this Board be authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer for the same.

**Claimant Character of Claim Claimed Allowed**

M. F. Nellist, Expense account..... 5.00 5.00

Andrew Hart, Register Deeds account..... 44.50 44.50

J. A. Holab, Supplies..... 10.75 10.75

L. A. Potter Stamp Co., Office supplies..... 156.67 156.67

L. A. Potter Stamp Co., Office supplies..... 4.15 4.15

Palmer Insurance Agency, Premium on bond..... 28.89 28.89

T. W. Hanson, Lumber account..... 2.82 2.82

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Thling Bros. & Everard, Clerk supplies..... 2.35 2.35

Thling Bros. & Everard, Clerk supplies..... 10.98 10.98

Douglas Bros. & Co., Clerk Supplies..... 1.90 1.90

Douglas Bros. & Co., Clerk Supplies..... 2.82 2.82

O. P. Schumann, Drawing Jury..... 2.00 2.00

Q. P. Schumann, Drawing Jury..... 2.00 2.00

Mrs. Rosetta Pond, Jail Inspection..... 2.00 2.00

Geo. W. McCullough, Jail Inspection..... 2.00 2.00

Emil Kraus, Justice account..... 1.58 1.58

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J. E. Bobenmoyer, Sheriff account..... 11.80 11.80

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J. E. Bobenmoyer, Sheriff account..... 2.40 2.40

J. E. Bobenmoyer, Sheriff account..... 31.20 31.20

Mac & Gidley, Contagious disease supplies..... 11.95 11.95

Grayling Telephone Co., Long distance..... 33.05 33.05

We further recommend that the accounts not acted upon be referred back to the Board as a committee of the whole to be considered of accordingly for allowance.

**April 20, 1926**

## Michigan Happenings

The frenzied figuring of highway costs and bombastic talk that threatened the summary removal from office of four elective state officials by Governor A. J. Groesbeck, after they had begun to question the highway costs, ended abruptly when the so called rebel quartet accepted the governor's invitation to them to draft a compromise that would end the deadlock that was holding up state highway construction work.

Edward S. Eckert, of Grand Rapids, has been appointed recreation director for Pontiac, succeeding G. S. D. Neal, who resigned early in the year to take a similar position in Birmingham, Ala. Eckert is a former athletic star at Michigan State college and has been in charge of recreation for some time in a Grand Rapids center. Increased recreational activities are planned for Pontiac this summer.

The "Green for Governor" movement of Iowa county, sponsored by the Young Men's club, was strengthened considerably when the Saragac business men, farmer guests and American Legion members heartily endorsed the genial executive for this state office and voted to become affiliated with the booster organization. The event was the annual banquet of the Saragac-Business-Men's association.